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SUBJECT: FIGHTER AIRCRAFT CO-PRODUCTION

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1. NO TEXT OF CARACCILO STATEMENT AVAILABLE. PRESUME STATEMENT WAS IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION. STATEMENT ATTRIBUTED TO CARACCILO DOES NOT REFLECT OFFICIAL VIEWS OF NATO INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITIES.

2. POSSIBILITY OF TURKISH FIGHTER AIRCRAFT CO-PRODUCTION WAS MENTIONED BRIEFLY IN 1959 IN DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE CO-PRODUCTION OF LIGHTWEIGHT FIGHTER AND FROM TIME TO TIME SINCE THEN. HOWEVER, NATO HAS NEVER MADE ANY SERIOUS STUDY OF THIS MATTER AND, TO BEST OF MISSION'S KNOWLEDGE, POSSIBILITY OF US-TURKISH CO-PRODUCTION HAS NEVER BEEN DISCUSSED IN ANY NATO FORUM.

3. MISSION, HOWEVER, IS CONCERNED ABOUT REMARKS ATTRIBUTED TO CARACCILO. SINCE NATO BRIEFINGS TO JOURNALISTS ARE USUALLY GIVEN ON BACKGROUND, IT APPEARS THAT GROUND RULES WERE INSUFFICIENTLY

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